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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING_	01/01/12 MM/DD/YY	AND ENDING	12/31/12 MM/DD/YY
A. REG	GISTRANT IDENTIFIC	CATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: DUPREE &	COMPANY, INC.		OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUS	SINESS: (Do not use P.O. B	ox No.)	FIRM I.D. NO.
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(City)	(State)	(Z	ip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PALLEN GRIMES, III (859) 254-7741	ERSON TO CONTACT IN I	REGARD TO THIS REPO	ORT
		(Area Code – Telephone Number)
B. ACC	COUNTANT IDENTIFI	CATION	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT OF	whose opinion is contained in	n this Report*	
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I.		, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my	kno	wledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
		, as , 20, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
		the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account ed solely as that of a customer, except as follows:
		Signature
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		Notary Public
	(a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j)	Facing Page. Statement of Financial Condition. Statement of Income (Loss). Statement of Changes in Financial Condition. Statement of Changes in Financial Condition. Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital. Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors. Computation of Net Capital. Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3. Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3. A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
	(l) (m)	consolidation. An Oath or Affirmation. A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report. A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

^{**}For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

DEAN | DORTON | ALLEN | FORD

Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors and Stockholders Dupree & Company, Inc. Lexington, Kentucky

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Dupree & Company, Inc. (the Company) which comprise the statements of financial condition as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows for the years then ended and the related notes to the financial statements that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation of and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our audit opinion.

Board of Directors and Stockholders Dupree & Company, Inc. Page 2

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Dupree & Company, Inc. as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Dean Dotton allen Ford, PUC

January 25, 2013

Lexington, Kentucky

Statements of Financial Condition

December 31, 2012 and 2011

	<u>2012</u>		<u>2011</u>
Assets			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 150,174	\$	454,923
Accounts receivable	 620,272	_	584,299
Total current assets	770,446		1,039,222
Trading securities, at market	7,497		7,353
Property and equipment, net	 62,068		58,208
Total assets	\$ 840,011	\$	1,104,783
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 9,441	\$	1,208
Accrued expenses	 12,902	-	16,416
Total liabilities	22,343		17,624
Stockholders' equity:			
Common stock, no par value, 6,800 shares authorized, issued			
and outstanding, 68 shares voting and 6,732 shares nonvoting	68,000		68,000
Additional paid-in capital	4,406		4,406
Retained earnings	 745,262		1,014,753
Total stockholders' equity	 817,668		1,087,159
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 840,011	\$	1,104,783

Statements of Income

Years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011

	<u>2012</u>		2011
Revenue:			
Investment advisory and transfer agent fees	\$ 7,257,274	\$	6,572,151
Interest	328		1,357
Unrealized gain on trading securities	 144	_	234
Total revenue	7,257,746		6,573,742
Expenses:			
Salaries	2,637,548		2,575,626
Professional fees	294,397		234,564
Taxes and licenses	228,106		211,880
Shareholder maintenance and dealer agreements	141,184		93,375
Rent	94,861		94,436
Insurance	86,357		87,731
Dues and subscriptions	68,711		72,164
Maintenance and repairs	34,313		31,029
Office supplies and expenses	31,244		30,997
Marketing	20,038		26,758
Regulatory fees	14,158		9,857
Travel and entertainment	14,093		11,460
Depreciation	14,027		14,626
Bank service charges	10,971		13,276
Telephone	10,503		9,634
Contributions	5,250		8,000
Postage and shipping	1,502		6,856
Other operating expenses	 217		5,520
Total expenses	 3,707,480		3,537,789
Net income	\$ 3,550,266	\$	3,035,953

Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

Years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011

	Com	mon Stock	dditional I-In Capital		Retained <u>Earnings</u>		<u>Total</u>
Balances, December 31, 2010	\$	68,000	\$ 4,406	\$	639,896	\$	712,302
Net income		-	-		3,035,953		3,035,953
Dividends			 	_	(2,661,096)		(2,661,096)
Balances, December 31, 2011		68,000	4,406		1,014,753		1,087,159
Net income		-	-		3,550,266		3,550,266
Dividends			 	_	(3,819,757)	_	(3,819,757)
Balances, December 31, 2012	\$	68,000	\$ 4,406	\$_	745,262	\$	817,668

Statements of Cash Flows

Years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011

	<u>2012</u>		<u>2011</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net income	\$ 3,550,266	\$	3,035,953
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by			
operating activities:			
Unrealized gain on trading securities	(144)		(234)
Depreciation	14,027		14,626
Loss on disposal of property and equipment	66		-
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents due to			
changes in:			
Accounts receivable	(35,973)		(157,078)
Prepaid expenses	-		5,600
Accounts payable	8,233		(15,172)
Accrued expenses	 (3,514)		(14,511)
Net cash provided by operating activities	3,532,961		2,869,184
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Purchase of property and equipment	 (17,953)		(14,755)
Net cash used in investing activities	(17,953)		(14,755)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Dividend distributions	 (3,819,757)		(2,661,096)
Net cash used in financing activities	 (3,819,757)		(2,661,096)
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(304,749)		193,333
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	 454,923	_	261,590
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$ 150,174	\$	454,923
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: Cash paid during the year for: Income taxes	\$ 102,908	\$	104,682

Notes to the Financial Statements

1. Description of the Organization

Dupree & Company, Inc. (the Company), a Kentucky corporation, was organized in 1962 for the purpose of being a securities broker. The Company is now exclusively engaged in investment advisory and transfer agent services for Dupree Mutual Funds (the Funds).

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) which require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Company in the preparation of its financial statements:

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include certain investments in highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less. At times, balances in the Company's cash accounts may exceed Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insured levels. The Company has not experienced any losses on such accounts. Management believes the Company is not exposed to any significant risk on bank deposits.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable consist of amounts due from the Funds, primarily for fees billed for investment advisory and transfer agent services and are generally unsecured. The Company's management considers accounts receivable to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary. If amounts become uncollectible, they will be charged to operations when the determination is made. If amounts previously written off are collected, they will be credited to income when received.

Trading Securities

Trading securities, which includes equity securities with readily determinable fair values, are measured at fair value in the statements of financial condition. Trading securities are bought and held primarily for purposes of selling them in the near term, reflect active and frequent buying and selling, and are generally used with the objective of generating profits on short-term differences in price.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are recorded at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is computed using both the straight-line and accelerated methods over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the life of the related asset or the life of the lease, whichever is shorter. The gain or loss on the sale of property and equipment is recorded in the year of disposition. The Company has a capitalization threshold of \$500. Repairs and maintenance costs are expensed as incurred.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

Property and Equipment, continued

Depreciation expense during 2012 and 2011 was \$14,027 and \$14,626, respectively. The Company has no planned major maintenance activities.

Accrued Compensated Absences

Employees are required to use all their sick days, vacation days, and personal days during the year, with no carryover to the next business year. As such, no accrual for compensated absences is required.

Revenue Recognition

The majority of the Company's revenues are derived from investment advisory and transfer agent fees. The investment advisory and transfer agent fees are billed monthly and recorded as revenue when earned. Interest income is recorded in the year in which it is earned.

Marketing Expense

The Company expenses all costs associated with marketing shares of the Funds as they are incurred. Marketing expense was \$20,038 and \$26,758 for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Income Taxes

The Company, with the consent of its stockholders, has elected to be taxed under Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, the stockholders report their respective shares of federal income or loss on their own tax returns. Because of the Company's tax status, the financial statements do not reflect a federal tax provision or any related tax assets and liabilities. Federal income taxes will be paid by the Company's stockholders. State and local taxes of \$12,902 and \$16,416, however, have been accrued as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Management has evaluated the Company's tax positions and concluded that the Company has taken no material uncertain tax positions that require adjustment to the financial statements. With few exceptions, the Company is not longer subject to income tax examination by the U.S. federal, state or local tax authorities for years before 2009.

Subsequent Events

Management has evaluated subsequent events for accounting and disclosure requirements through January 25, 2013, the date that the financial statements were available to be issued.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

3. Trading Securities

Trading securities consist of the following as of December 31:

	<u>2012</u>			<u>2011</u>				
	<u>M</u>	<u>arket</u>		Cost	<u>N</u>	Market		Cost
NASDAQ Stock, 300 shares	\$	7,497	\$	2,200	\$	7,353		2,200

The Company has determined the fair value of its trading securities through application of GAAP. Trading securities valued using Level 1 inputs are based on unadjusted quoted market prices within active markets. Trading securities valued using Level 2 inputs are based primarily on quoted prices for similar trading securities in active or inactive markets. Trading securities valued using Level 3 inputs are primarily valued using management's assumptions about the assumptions market participants would utilize in pricing the trading security. Valuation techniques utilized to determine fair value are consistently applied.

Fair Value Measurements at Reporting Date Using

	Fair Value	Level 1 Inputs	Level 2 Inputs	Level 3 Inputs
December 31, 2012 Trading securities	\$ <u>7,497</u>	\$ <u>7,497</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>
December 31, 2011 Trading securities	\$ <u>7,353</u>	\$ <u>7,353</u>	\$	\$

The following is a description of the valuation methodology used for assets measured at fair value. There were no changes in the methodology used to measure fair value during the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011.

Trading securities: Valued at the closing price reported on the active market on which the individual securities are traded.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

4. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment consists of the following as of December 31:

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Office furniture and equipment	\$ 581,347	\$ 566,617
Leasehold improvements	28,224	28,224
	609,571	594,841
Less accumulated depreciation	(547,503)	(536,633)
Property and equipment, net	\$62,068	\$ 58,208

5. Net Capital and Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission uniform net capital rule (15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1.

As of December 31, 2012, the Company had net capital as defined by Rule 15c3-1 of \$600,961, which was \$350,961 in excess of its required net capital of \$250,000. The Company's net capital ratio was 0.0372 to 1.

As of December 31, 2011, the Company had net capital as defined by Rule 15c3-1 of \$880,901, which was \$630,901 in excess of its required net capital of \$250,000. The Company's net capital ratio was 0.0200 to 1.

6. Investment Advisory and Transfer Agent Fees

The Company serves as the investment advisor and transfer agent pursuant to an investment advisory agreement (the Agreement), renewed November 1, 2012, for the Dupree Mutual Funds Kentucky Tax-Free Income Series, a no load, mutual fund. The Agreement will continue in effect until October 31, 2013 and thereafter for annual periods, if renewed.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

6. Investment Advisory and Transfer Agent Fees, continued

The Company also serves as the investment advisor pursuant to investment advisory agreements renewed November 1, 2012, which remain in effect until October 31, 2013 and thereafter for annual periods, if renewed, for the following funds:

- Dupree Mutual Funds Kentucky Tax-Free Short-to-Medium Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Intermediate Government Bond Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Tennessee Tax-Free Income Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Tennessee Short-to-Medium Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds North Carolina Tax-Free Income Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds North Carolina Short-to-Medium Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Alabama Tax-Free Income Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Mississippi Tax-Free Income Series
- Dupree Mutual Funds Taxable Municipal Bond Series

Subject to the direction of the trustees of the mutual funds, the Company is to provide the Funds with investment supervisory services, office space and facilities, sales and promotional expenses, and corporate administration. As compensation for services rendered, facilities furnished, and expenses paid or assumed, the Company is to receive a fee at the annual rate of 0.50% (0.20% for the Intermediate Government Bond Series) of the average daily net asset value up to \$100,000,000 in assets, 0.45% (0.20% for the Intermediate Government Bond Series) of the average daily net asset value from \$100,000,001 to \$150,000,000, 0.40% (0.20% for the Intermediate Government Bond Series) of the average daily net asset value from \$150,000,000, 0.35% of the average daily net asset value from \$500,000,000 to \$750,000,000, 0.30% of the average daily net asset value from \$750,000,001 to \$1,000,000,000, and 0.25% of the average daily net asset value in excess of \$1,000,000,000. For 2012 and 2011, the Company waived investment advisory fees of \$89,770 and \$39,764, respectively.

The Company also serves as the transfer agent and dividend-disbursing agent for the Funds pursuant to an agreement dated November 1, 1997, and subsequently amended thereafter. The agreement may be terminated by either party by giving ninety days written notice. The fee for this service is calculated daily at a rate of 1/365 of 0.15% on the first \$20,000,000 of net assets and 1/365 of 0.12% of net assets over \$20,000,000. Additionally, the Funds reimburse the Company for out-of-pocket expenses incurred on behalf of the Funds. The expenses include, but are not necessarily limited to, postage, insurance, telephone charges, and cost of forms.

7. Employee Benefit Plan

The Company sponsors a 401(k) plan (the Plan) for all eligible employees. The Plan specifies that employees can make contributions of up to 25% of their compensation to a maximum contribution of \$17,000 and \$16,500, plus any applicable catch-up contributions, in 2012 and 2011, respectively. The Company does not match employee contributions.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

8. Contingencies and Commitments

Rental Obligations

The Company leases its present office space under a non-cancelable lease which expires October 31, 2018.

The aggregate annual rentals for this office space are:

Year ending December 31,	
2013	\$ 93,955
2014	95,851
2015	97,791
2016	99,739
2017	101,732
Thereafter	 86,160
	\$ <u>575,228</u>

Rental expense charged to operations for 2012 and 2011 was \$94,861 and \$94,436, respectively.

Employment Agreements

Under an employment agreement, the Company is obligated to pay a retired employee as a consultant \$30,000 a year until death.

The Company entered into an employment agreement (the Agreement) with an officer of the Company. The term of the Agreement is from February 1, 2012 through February 1, 2017. Under the Agreement, the officer is to receive a base salary, subject to adjustment up or down semi-annually by the same percentage as the Company's gross management fees either increase or decrease measured as of June 30 and December 31 of each year, provided however, that the officer's base salary shall not be reduced by more than 3.5% from one year to the next, as well as additional compensation and performance bonuses.

Service Agreement

In June 2010, the Company entered into a service agreement with Sungard Shareholder Systems (Sungard). The Company began utilizing Sungard's transfer agent software once it became fully functional in 2011. The Company agreed to pay a minimum of \$9,333 per month for usage and processing fees associated with the technology system. The service agreement expires in 2015 and may be renewed on a year-by-year basis following expiration.

Notes to the Financial Statements, continued

8. Contingencies and Commitments, continued

Internal Revenue Service Penalty

In September 2012, the Funds received a letter from the Internal Revenue Service proposing a penalty for failure to file information returns timely. Sufficient uncertainties exist to prevent the Funds from determining the amount of its potential liability, if any, and uncertainties exist whether the Funds would seek indemnification from the Company. Management believes that any potential liability resulting from these penalties would not materially affect the Company's financial position or results of operations.

9. Concentrations and Credit Risks

The Company derives a major portion of its revenue from the Funds. During 2012 and 2011, revenues from the Funds aggregated \$7,257,274 and \$6,572,151, respectively. As of December 31, 2012 and 2011, amounts due from the Funds included in accounts receivable were \$620,272 and \$584,299, respectively.

DUPREE & COMPANY, INC. Supplementary Information

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Independent Auditors' Report on Supplementary Information Required by SEC Rule 17a-5

Board of Directors and Stockholders Dupree & Company, Inc. Lexington, Kentucky

We have audited the financial statements of Dupree & Company, Inc. as of and for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, and our report thereon dated January 25, 2013, which expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements, appears on pages 3 and 4. Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Dean Dotton allen Ford, PLLC

January 25, 2013

Lexington, Kentucky

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF FINAN	CIAL CONDITION FOR NONCAR		
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	Allowable	Non-Allowable	<u>Total</u>
1. Cash\$	100,174 200	\$ ₋	100,174 750
2. Receivables from brokers or dealers:			
	295	[550]	940
B. Other	300 \$	550	810
3. Receivable from non-customers	355	600 7	830
4. Securities and spot commodities			
owned at market value: A. Exempted securities	418		
B. Debt securities	419		
C. Options	420		
D. Other securities	57,497 424		5 B 4 O B C
E. Spot commodities	430		57,497 850
5. Securities and/or other investments			
not readily marketable:			
A. At cost \$ 130 B. At estimated fair value	440	610	860
Securities borrowed under subordination	1440		
agreements and partners' individual and capital			
securities accounts, at market value:	460	630	880
A. Exempted			
securities \$ 150			
B. Other securities \$ 160			
securities \$ 160 7. Secured demand notes:	470	640	890
Market value of collateral:			1000
A. Exempted			
securities \$ 170			
B. Other			
securities \$ 180			
B. Memberships in exchanges:			
A. Owned, at			
market \$ 190		650	
B. Owned, at cost	-	000	
C. Contributed for use of the company, at	_	CCO	000
market value	6 .	660	900
9. Investment in and receivables from affiliates,	166 000	152 200 5	620 272 5
subsidiaries and associated partnerships	466,883 480	153,389 670	620,272 910
10. Property, furniture, equipment, leasehold			
improvements and rights under lease agreements,			
at cost-net of accumulated depreciation and			
amortization	400	62 069 680 7	62 068 920

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BROKER OR DEALER
DUPREE & COMPANY, INC.

as of 12/31/12

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION FOR NONCARRYING, NONCLEARING AND CERTAIN OTHER BROKERS OR DEALERS

LIABILITIES AND OWNERSHIP EQUITY

<u>Liabilities</u>		A.I. <u>Liabilities</u>	Non-A.I. <u>Liabilities</u>	<u>Total</u>
13. Bank loans payable	\$	1045	\$ 1255 Y	3 \$ 1470
14. Payable to brokers or dealers:	Ψ		1,223	
A. Clearance account		1114	1315	1560
B. Other	10	1115	1305	1540
15. Payable to non-customers		1155	1355	1610
16. Securities sold not yet purchased, at market value			1360	1620
17. Accounts payable, accrued liabilities, expenses and other		22,343 1205	1385	22,343 1685
18. Notes and mortgages payable:		[4040]		[100]
A. Unsecured		1210 1211 ₁₂	1390	1690
B. Secured				14
of general creditors:				
A. Cash borrowings:			1400	1710
1. from outsiders \$ 970				
2. includes equity subordination (15c3-1(d))				
of \$980			1410	1720
Securities borrowings, at market value from outsiders \$ 990				1720
from outsiders \$ 990 C. Pursuant to secured demand note				
collateral agreements			1420	1730
1. from outsiders \$ [1000]				
2. includes equity subordination (15c3-1(d))				
of \$1010				
D. Exchange memberships contributed for			1430	1740
use of company, at market value E. Accounts and other borrowings not			1430	1140
qualified for net capital purposes		1220	1440	1750
20. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	22,343 1230	\$ 1450	\$ 22,343 1760
Ownership Equity			_	
21. Sole Proprietorship		[1020])	······································	5 \$ 1770 1780
22. Partnership (limited partners)	11 (\$	[1020])		1780
23. Corporation: A. Preferred stock				1791
B. Common stock				68,000 1792
C. Additional paid-in capital				4,406 1793
D. Retained earnings				745, 262 1794
E. Total				817,668 1795
F. Less capital stock in treasury			······································	\$ 817,668 1800
24. TOTAL OWNERSHIP EQUITY	······································			\$ 840,011 1810
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COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL

1.	Total ownership equity from Statement of Financial Condition		817,668 3480
2.	Deduct ownership equity not allowable for Net Capital	19 (() 3490
3.		_	817,668 3500
4.	Add:	_	92.7000
	A. Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors allowable in computation of net capital		3520
	B. Other (deductions) or allowable credits (List)	_	3525
5.		\$ -	817,668 3530
6.		* -	01/,000
٠.	A Total non-allowable assets from		
	Statement of Financial Condition (Notes B and C)		
	B. Secured demand note delinquency		
	C. Commodity futures contracts and spot commodities –		
	proprietary capital charges	,	215, 457) 3620
7	Other additions and/or allowable credits (List)	٢	3630
1.		· -	
8.		20 Þ _	602,211 3640
9.			
	A. Contractual securities commitments		
	B. Subordinated securities borrowings		
	C. Trading and investment securities:		
	1. Exempted securities		
	2. Debt securities		
	3. Options		
	4. Other securities		
	D. Undue Concentration		
	E. Other (List)	(_	1,250)3740
10). Net Capital	\$	600,961 3750
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COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT

Part A

11. Minimum net capital required (6%, % of line 19) 12. Minimum dollar net capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer and minimum of subsidiaries computed in accordance with Note (A) 13. Net capital requirement (greater of line 11 or 12) 14. Excess net capital (line 10 less 13) 15. Excess net capital at 1000% (line 10 less 10% of line 19)		\$ \$ \$	3756 250,000 3758 250,000 3760 350,961 3770 350,961 3780
COMPUTATION OF	AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		
16. Total A.I. liabilities from Statement of Financial Condition		00	22,343 3790

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i	s paid or credited\$	3810	
C. (Other unrecorded amounts (List)\$	3820	\$
18. Total	aggregate indebtedness		\$
19. Perce	entage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital (line 18 ÷ by line 10)		%
20. Perce	entage of debt to debt-equity total computed in accordance with Rule 15c3-1(d)		%

Total aggregate indeptedness	Φ	24,343	3040	
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital (line 18 ÷ by line 10)	%	3.72	3850	
Percentage of debt to debt-equity total computed in accordance with Rule 15c3-1(d)	%	3.72	3860	

COMPUTATION OF ALTERNATE NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT

Part B

	2% of combined aggregate debit items as shown in Formula for Reserve Requirements pursuant to Rule 15c3-3 prepared as of the date of the net capital computation including both brokers or dealers and consolidated subsidiaries' debits	\$	3970
22.	Minimum dollar net capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer and minimum net capital requirement of		
	subsidiaries computed in accordance with Note (A)	з\$	3880
23.	Net capital requirement (greater of line 21 or 22)	\$	3760
24.	Excess capital (line 10 less 23)	\$	3910
25.	Net capital in excess of the greater of:		
	A. 5% of combined aggregate debit items or \$120,000	\$	3920

NOTES:

- (A) The minimum net capital requirement should be computed by adding the minimum dollar net capital requirement of the reporting broker dealer and, for each subsidiary to be consolidated, the greater of:
 - 1. Minimum dollar net capital requirement, or
 - 2. 6²/₃% of aggregate indebtedness or 4% of aggregate debits if alternative method is used.
- (B) Do not deduct the value of securities borrowed under subordination agreements or secured demand note covered by subordination agreements not in satisfactory form and the market values of memberships in exchanges contributed for use of company (contra to item 1740) and partners' securities which were included in non-allowable
- (C) For reports filed pursuant to paragraph (d) of Rule 17a-5, respondent should provide a list of material non-allowable assets.

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BROKER OR DEALER DUPREE & COMPANY, INC.

For the period (MMDDYY) from $\frac{7}{2401/01/12}$ $\frac{3932}{3932}$ to $\frac{12/31/12}{3932}$	3933
Number of months included in this statement 12	3931

STATEMENT OF INCOME (LOSS)		
REVENUE		
1. Commissions:		
a. Commissions on transactions in exchange listed equity securities executed on an exchange	\$_	3935
b. Commissions on listed option transactions	25 _	
c. All other securities commissions		3939
d. Total securities commissions		3940
2. Gains or losses on firm securities trading accounts		
a. From market making in options on a national securities exchange		3945
b. From all other trading		3949
c. Total gain (loss)		3950
3. Gains or losses on firm securities investment accounts		3952
4. Profit (loss) from underwriting and selling groups	¥26 _	3955
5. Revenue from sale of investment company shares		3970
6. Commodities revenue		3990
7. Fees for account supervision, investment advisory and administrative services		7,257,602 3975
8. Other revenue		144 3995
9. Total revenue	\$_	7,257,746 4030
EXPENSES		
10. Salaries and other employment costs for general partners and voting stockholder officers		540,000 4120
11. Other employee compensation and benefits	_	2,233,727 4115
12. Commissions paid to other broker-dealers		4140
13. Interest expense		10,971 4075
·	070	10,371 100
14. Regulatory fees and expenses		397,960 4195
15. Other expenses	_	524,822 4100
16. Total expenses	. –	3,707,480 4200
10. Total expenses	······ *=	377077100 1200
NET INCOME		
17. Income (loss) before Federal income taxes and items below (Item 9 less Item 16)	\$_	3,550,266 4210
18. Provision for Federal income taxes (for parent only)	₂₈ _	4220
19. Equity in earnings (losses) of unconsolidated subsidiaries not included above	<u></u> _	4222
a. After Federal income taxes of	338	
20. Extraordinary gains (losses)	<u></u> _	4224
a. After Federal income taxes of	239	
21. Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles		4225
22. Net income (loss) after Federal income taxes and extraordinary items	\$_	3,550,266 4230
MONTHLY INCOME		
23. Income (current month only) before provision for Federal income taxes and extraordinary items	\$	191,637 4211
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BROKER OR DEALER DUPREE & COMPANY, INC.		
	For the period (MMDDYY) from $01/01/12$ to $12/31/1$	12
	IGES IN OWNERSHIP EQUITY Partnership or corporation)	
Balance, beginning of period A. Net income (loss)	\$ 1,087,159 3,550,266	
B. Additions (Includes non-conforming capital of	\$ 4262) \$ 4272) 3,819,757	4260
2. Balance, end of period (From item 1800)	\$ 817,668	4290
	S IN LIABILITIES SUBORDINATED GENERAL CREDITORS	
Balance, beginning of period A. Increases B. Decreases		4300 4310 4320
4. Balance, end of period (From item 3520)	\$	4330

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BROKER OF	DUPR	REE & COMPANY, INC	C.		as o	f <u>12/3</u>	1/12
		EXEMPTIVE	PROVISION UNDER	R RULE 15c3-3			
24. If an exem	ption from Rule 15c3	-1 is claimed, identify below the sectio	n upon which such ex	emption is based (check	one only)		
		tegory as per Rule 15c3-1				X	4550
B. (k)(2)	(A) "Special Accor	unt for the Exclusive Benefit of custome	ers" maintained				4560
C. (k)(2)	(B) — All customer to	ransactions cleared through another bro	oker-dealer on a fully o	lisclosed basis.			
	of clearing firm 30				4335	·····	4570
D. (k)(3)	— Exempted by orde	er of the Commission (include copy of	letter)				4580
Withdr Acc		Name of Lender or Contributor	Insider or Outsider? (In or Out)	Amount to be Withdrawn (cash amount and/or Net Capital Value of Securities)	(MMDE Withdrav Matur Date	val or ity e	Expect to Renew (Yes or No)
31	4600	4601	4602		4603	4604	4605
32	4610	4611	4612		4613	4614	4615
33	4620	4621	4622		4623	4624	4625
34	4630	4631	4632		4633	4634	4635
35	4640	4641	4642		4643	4644	4645
			Total \$\frac{\$\frac{3}{3}}{2}	6 NONE	4699		

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Instructions: Detail Listing must include the total of items maturing during the six month period following the report date, regardless of whether or not the capital contribution is expected to be renewed. The schedule must also include proposed capital withdrawals scheduled within the six month period following the report date including the proposed redemption of stock and anticipated accruals which would cause a reduction of Net Capital. These anticipated accruals would include amounts of bonuses, partners' drawing accounts, taxes, and interest on capital, voluntary contributions to pension or profit sharing plans, etc., which have not been deducted in the computation of Net Capital, but which you anticipate will be paid within the next six months.

WITHDRAWAL CODE:

DESCRIPTIONS

1. Equity Capital

2. Subordinated Liabilities

3. Accruals

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Comments on Net Capital and Reserve Requirements

Board of Directors and Stockholders Dupree & Company, Inc. Lexington, Kentucky

We compared the computations of net capital and reserve requirements contained in the audit report of Dupree & Company, Inc. (the Company) for the year ended December 31, 2012, with the Company's most recent unaudited computations as contained in the FOCUS Report - Part II (Form X-17A-5). Differences between the audited computations and the most recent unaudited computations are outlined below:

		per latest Form X-17A-5		Computations per Audit	
Total capital	\$	817,668	\$	817,668	
Deductions from net worth		216,707		216,707	
Net capital	\$	600,961	\$	600,961	
Minimum net capital required:					
Aggregate indebtedness	\$	22,343	\$	22,343	
Required percentage		0.0667		0.0667	
Minimum net capital based on indebtedness	\$	1,490	\$_	1,490	
Net capital in excess of required \$250,000 minimum	\$	350,961	\$	350,961	
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital		0.0372		0.0372	

There were no differences found to exist between the most recent unaudited computation and the audited computation as contained in the FOCUS Report - Part II, for determining reserve requirements under Rule 15c3-3.

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January 25, 2013

Lexington, Kentucky

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Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Required by SEC Rule 17a-5

Board of Directors and Stockholders Dupree & Company, Inc. Lexington, Kentucky

paragraph.

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Dupree & Company, Inc. (the Company) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2012, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of compliance with such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- (1) Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13.
- (2) Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls, and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph, and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding

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Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis.

A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Company's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses and therefore, there can be no assurance that all material weaknesses have been identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at December 31, 2012, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Directors, the SEC, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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January 25, 2013 Lexington, Kentucky

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DUPREE & COMPANY, INC. Financial Statements and Supplementary Information

Years Ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 with Independent Auditors' Report Thereon

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